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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of: Qian Yang et al.
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Examiner: Wilbert L. Starks
Confirmation No. 1475
Title: **Using Neural Networks for Data Mining**

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Dear Sir:

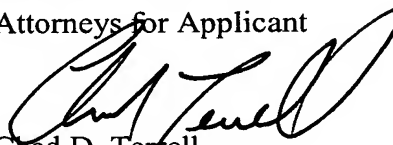
Notice of Appeal

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner mailed August 23, 2006, finally rejecting pending Claims 1-19, 22-23, and 26-43. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of **\$500.00** to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of BAKER BOTTS L.L.P. to cover the filing fee for this Notice of Appeal. Additionally, attached is a Request for Extension of time authorizing the Commissioner to charge the amount of **\$120.00** to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of BAKER BOTTS L.L.P. to cover the one-month extension-of-time fee for this Notice of Appeal.

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Although Applicants believe no other fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional necessary fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of BAKER BOTTS L.L.P.

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